GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
RAILWAYS
LOK SABHA

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BED ROLL SCAM IN IRCTC
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Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

(a) whether bedroll scam has been unearthed in the Indian Railway Catering and Tourism Corporation (IRCTC) misappropriating lakhs of rupees of the Railways; and

(b) if so, the details thereof and action being taken thereon?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS(SHRI R.VELU)

(a) & (b): No, Sir. No such bed-roll scam misappropriating lakhs of rupees of the Railways in Indian Railway Catering and Tourism Corporation (IRCTC) has been unearthed. Certain irregularities in the collection charges of bed-roll were detected during a surprise inspection, for which disciplinary action is being taken against the employees found responsible.